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REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Sir:

Please extend the shortened statutory response period for the office action marked as mailed on December 28, 2000, regarding the above listed application, for three months, from March 28, 2001 to June 28, 2001. Check no. 8259 in the amount of \$445.00 is enclosed to cover the fee for the extension of time.

The Commissioner is authorized to charge payment of any fees under 37 CFR §§ 1.16 and 1.17 associated with this communication or credit any over payment to Deposit Account 50-0269. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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